GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7969
ANSWERED ON:17.05.2000
RECOGNITION OF SC/ST EMPLOYEES ORGANISATIONS
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to accord departmental recognition to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe Organisations;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of representations received by the Government in this regard so far;

(d) the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government thereon; and

(e) the time by which these organisations are likely to be accorded departmental recognition?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING AND DEPARTMENT OF PENSION AND PENSIONERS` WELFARE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS

(SMT. VASUNDHARA RAJE)

(a), (b), (c), (d) & (e) : Recognition of Service Associations of Central Government employees is regulated under the Central Civil Services (Recognition of Service Associations), Rules, 1993 whichinteralia provide that membership of Service Associations shall be restricted to `distinct category` of Government servants having common interest and that such associations shall not be formed on the basis of any caste, tribe or religious denomination or any group within or section of such caste, tribe or religious denomination.

Though representations are received in this regard, separate Associations of SC/ST Employees are not being considered for recognition under these Rules in the interest of unified Civil Service.